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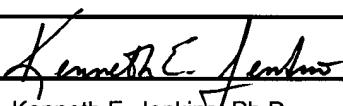
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	Art Unit	1639
	Examiner Name	Jon D. Epperson
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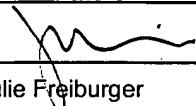
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In re application of:

Robert F. Balint, et al.

Application No.: 10/668,778

Filed: September 22, 2003

For: BREAKPOINT FUSION
FRAGMENT COMPLEMENTATION
SYSTEM

Customer No.: 20350

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Examiner: Jon D. Epperson

Technology Center/Art Unit: 1639

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed February 8, 2005, Applicants provide the following Amendment and Election of Species.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.